

In the Specification

Please rewrite the title as follows:

A Method Of Producing A Thin Film Magnetic Head

Please rewrite the first paragraph as follows:

This application is a divisional application of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/478,175 filed on January 5, 2000, entitled "Thin Film Magnetic Head-," now U.S. Patent 6,757,133, which issued on June 29, 2004 and claims the benefit of priority to Japanese Patent Application 11-006473, filed on January 13, 1999.